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Lepki language

Lepki is a Papuan language spoken in Western New Guinea, near its relatives Murkim and Kembra. Only a few hundred words have been recorded, in hastily collected word lists.

Øystein Lund Andersen (2007) is an unpublished ethnography on the Lepki[3] that includes a word list.[4]

Lepki	
Native to	Western New Guinea
Region	Papua: Pegunungan Bintang Regency - Teiraplu, Yetfa, and Aboy districts, west of the Sobger River
Native speakers	(530 cited 1991)[1]
Language family	Pauwasi ▪ Yetfa – South Pauwasi ▪ South Pauwasi ▪ Lepki–Murkim ▪ **Lepki**
Language codes	
ISO 639-3	`lpe`
Glottolog	`lepk1238 (http://glottolog.org/resource/languoid/id/lepk1238)`[2]

Phonology

Lepki is a tonal language.[5]:466

Further reading

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